

❖ TRINIDAD

Rancheria pursues seaside hotel

Jack Durham

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TRINIDAD – The Trinidad Rancheria is planning to construct a 100-room hotel adjacent to the Cher-Ae Heights Casino in the coming year.

While many members of the tribe are excited about the oceanside hotel, the revenues it will generate and the addition of as many as 50 new jobs, a group of Trinidad area residents is questioning the project's environmental impacts, calling for greater transparency and public input.

The proposed hotel

The hotel would be built behind the existing casino, on its south side, in an area where there is now a road and a parking lot.

"At this point, it's conceptual," said David Tyson, interim director of the Trinidad Rancheria Economic Development Corporation and manager of the hotel project. Tyson said the building's square footage, exact height and overall design have yet to be determined.

The five- to six-story hotel would include 100 rooms, an indoor swimming pool, a bar and a fitness center. It would be one- to one-and-a-half stories taller than the nearby casino, Tyson said, and would include rooms with ocean views. The hotel would have as many as 50 employees, including managers, night managers, housekeepers and maintenance staff.

"The community here is excited about the potential of the hotel," Tyson said. "I'm happy that it's going forward."

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KHSU studio move proceeds as divisions deepen

Intemperate 'stick it to them' email brings apology, firing of longtime DJ

Kvin L. Hoover

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ARCATA – Matt Knight, host of KHSU's *Alternative Therapy* show since February 2000 has been fired from the station.

Knight is one of the members

of the station's volunteer community who have been unhappy with General Manager Peter Fretwell and Vice President for Advancement Craig Wruck since the May firing of former Operations Manager Katie Whiteside.

A subsequent initiative by the HSU administration to create a station vision statement met with resistance, even derision by some members of the volunteer community at meetings of KHSU's Community Advisory Board.

According to Frank Whitlach, associate vice president, station staff is providing input on the visioning this month, with broader public input accepted next month. "It's not clear what form that public input will take," Whitlach said. The California Center for Rural Policy is assisting with developing options for public participation, with the goal of completing the visioning project this semester.



Matt Knight

Mad Matt

Knight, whose radio name is "Mad Doctor Matt," had sent an email over the weekend to the station's engineer, Kevin Sanders, suggesting that he "discover problems that might take weeks" to fix during the transfer of the station's broadcast facility from the Theatre Arts building to Feuerwerker House.

While he later retracted it and apologized, the university wasn't enthused about his contrition.

In an email message to station staff (readable at madrivunion.com), Fretwell, states that "Humboldt State University has terminated Matt Knight's privileges as a volunteer at KHSU following published reports, confirmed by Mr.

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CIRCLES OF REFLECTION



MINDFUL MAZE Samoa's Peninsula School cut the ribbon last Thursday on its new "mindfulness labyrinth," a six-month project designed by Superintendent/Principal Lark Doolan, right, and created by staff, students, volunteers and artist John King. The labyrinth gives students a safe, quiet place to walk, reflect and be mindful during school hours and elsewhere. Dogbone, left, provided "feral jazz" at the unveiling. PHOTOS BY MATT FILAR | UNION



County promises climate change action

Daniel Mintz

MAD RIVER UNION

HUMBOLDT – Humboldt County has pledged to create a plan for reining in its carbon emissions and will strive for 100 percent renewably-sourced electricity by 2025.

A resolution to that effect was unanimously approved at the Sept. 11 Board of Supervisors meeting. Advanced by Supervisor Mike Wilson, the resolution also declares the county's support for the international Paris Agree-

ment, which the U.S. has withdrawn from.

Wilson said the timing of the resolution is appropriate, as the Global Climate Action Summit in San Francisco started the day after the meeting and he was there on behalf of the county.

Cities, counties and countries are working on an overall push to control the increase of average global temperature and keep it below two degrees Celsius. Wilson said that Humboldt County has "the potential to be a

game-changer in this."

He added that residents of the region are "feeling the effects on all sides," with wildfires, sea level rise and ocean acidification.

Wilson also said that a "new economy" is emerging as changes are pursued, and Humboldt has the expertise and the resources to innovate.

He named the Schatz Energy Lab and Humboldt State University – which he said

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❖ Corrections

Last week's front page story on recycling rates included some errors.

Henceforth, Arcata will pay \$69.56 per ton of waste (not \$6,956).

To address the increase, the City Council will increase rates by a flat fee for all ratepayers, not a percentage increase.

Single-family customers would pay \$2.96 more per month; multi-family and commercial accounts would pay \$6.65 more.

An opinion column by Mayor Sofia Pereira and Supervisor Mike Wilson also included an error.

Humboldt County and the Redwood Coast Energy Authority are advancing a Community Choice Energy program to provide cleaner energy, with an estimated savings of \$2 million a year (not \$20 million).

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KHSU

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Knight, that he urged a State employee to interfere with the operation of the radio station."

Continues Fretwell, "The University takes seriously all threats against the University or any of its employees. We have an obligation to preserve and protect State property including KHSU facilities. In addition, as a federally licensed broadcast facility, the University has a special obligation to ensure that KHSU protects its ability to provide broadcast services."

Knight and others allege that the university is attempting a purge of the station's longtime volunteers with the goal of "delocalizing" the station. The critics further object to Fretwell/Wruck's management style, casting it as remote and abusive to station personnel.

Knight had a number of things to say in the wake of his termination.

"Obviously I regret what I did there and I tried to take it back," Knight said. "I brought this on myself, I guess. It was 100 percent wrong, what I did."

Still, Knight sees his firing as revenge, and possibly a signal to other dissidents. "The bottom line is, it's retribution," he said. "They're trying to make life as difficult as possible for critics."

Knight noted that he never advocated damage to station facilities. "I didn't actually interfere with anything, nor did I suggest that they break things," he said.

He said one of his biggest regrets is drawing Sanders, who has been steadfastly apolitical through multiple stormy station controversies over the years, into the current imbroglio.

Knight wasn't reserved in his characterizations of Fretwell. "Just like all of his decisions, he's hiding behind the skirts of HSU," Knight said. "A man would stand up and say, 'I

don't like this, get out.' But he hid behind the CAB [Community Advisory Board], Wruck and now HSU."

Knight further alleged that the seismic retrofit of the Theatre Arts building, which is forcing the station to move to new lodgings, still has no contractor nor any firm timetable. That, he suggested, casts doubt on the legitimacy of the urgent KHSU move.

Frank Whitlach, associate vice president for marketing and communications, dismissed Knight's suggestions. "I'm pretty sure that we're not spending tens of millions of dollars as a ruse to move KHSU," Whitlach said.

He said contracts were being finalized and a construction schedule firmed up. "Work could start in the next couple of weeks," he said.

Whitlach said Fretwell's rationale, as stated in the emails, needed no elaboration. "I think Peter's message speaks for itself," he said.

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Trinidad | Eco concerns

❖ FROM A1

In response to the proposed hotel, several Trinidad residents formed a new group – the Humboldt Alliance for Responsible Planning (H.A.R.P.), which is questioning the hotel’s environmental impacts and asking for greater transparency by the rancheria, including public meetings.

H.A.R.P. Chair Richard Johnson stressed that his group is not against the rancheria constructing a building. “We’re not saying ‘don’t build a hotel,’” Johnson said. Rather, the group wants to make sure environmental impacts are addressed.

“This is the largest project development in the Trinidad area” since the construction of U.S. Highway 101, Johnson said. “I think it has significant impacts to the community at large.”

In a press release issued Aug. 29, H.A.R.P. questioned whether the City of Trinidad has enough water to supply the hotel and raised concerns about noise, lighting, traffic and erosion.

“While we applaud the idea of appropriate development that will improve quality of life and economic prospects in Humboldt County, we think citizens should be fully engaged in the concept and planning process so that projects reflect local values, and so that the public fully understands all the potential impacts,” Johnson stated in a press release.

The group has asked the Trinidad City Council and county representatives to facilitate public meetings on the hotel project.

In an interview, Johnson mentioned several potential impacts from the hotel. For example, it may result in more traffic on Scenic Drive, he said. The portion of Scenic Drive between the casino and the city is in decent shape, but the roadway south of the casino is crumbling.

“It [Scenic Drive] is totally distressed to the south,” Johnson said. Visitors exiting the casino may decide to turn left instead of right, adding further traffic to the failing roadway, he said.

Another concern is lighting. If light bounces off the marine layer, it could obliterate viewing of the night sky, Johnson said. He said he was also concerned about additional traffic in Trinidad and parking problems.

Environmental study

An environmental assessment detailing the hotel’s impacts may be released as early as this week, Tyson said. As the rancheria is a sovereign nation, it doesn’t need building permits from the County of Humboldt. However, it is required to get approval from the Bureau of Indian Affairs and must follow the National Environmental Policy Act, which requires the environmental assessment.

The environmental study is in draft form, with the BIA reviewing some of the final edits, Tyson said. The BIA may approve the document’s release any day now.

When that happens, the document will be available for the public to review and will be sent to various agencies for comments. Among those agencies would be the City of Trinidad, Cal Fire, the County of Humboldt and the California Coastal Commission.

The rancheria would then respond to those comments and ultimately seek approval from the BIA to proceed with construction.

Tyson said he has had discussions about the project with officials from the City of Trinidad, Cal Fire and the

County of Humboldt. He said when the environmental assessment is available, rancheria officials hope to make a presentation before the Trinidad City Council.

“We wanted to be transparent,” said Tyson, who added that he was concerned about providing information that is either incomplete or incorrect.

For example, the rancheria initially estimated that the hotel would, conservatively, consume 18,000 gallons of water per day. Architects have now brought that estimate down to about 4,500 gallons a day, Tyson said.

The rancheria has an on-site sewage treatment plant, which recycles about 40 percent of the water used and recirculates it in toilets, which further reduces the amount of water needed from the City of Trinidad.

H.A.R.P. is raising concerns about the hotel’s water usage. “The Rancheria is served by Trinidad’s municipal water system, which may not be able to accommodate anticipated demand from the proposed development,” states a press release from H.A.R.P. “The most recent hydrologic study of Luffenholtz Creek found that, in a dry year, the city’s water supply is already almost completely allocated.”

Trinidad City Manager Dan Berman said that supplying additional water to the hotel is ultimately a decision that would be made by the Trinidad City Council.

Before the city can determine whether it has an adequate supply for the hotel, it needs more information.

“We need to get a real detailed proposal,” Berman said. Once the city receives a proposal, then its engineers can do a full analysis, Berman said.

“The city does have some capacity in its water system,” Berman said.

The city draws its water from Luffenholtz Creek, where the water supply rises and falls depending on rain. Typically, in the winter, there’s ample water in the creek. By the end of summer and early falls, the supply declines.

Another consideration is water storage. Tyson said the rancheria has a 100,000-gallon water tank and is willing to look at other supply options and drought plans. “We can develop alternatives,” Tyson said.

Another concern cited by H.A.R.P. is traffic. “The traffic is being addressed in the document,” Tyson said. The hotel, he said, will not alter the existing traffic volume. If anything, the hotel might reduce traffic, he said. Instead of cars coming and going from the casino, they come, park and stay.

Another concern raised by H.A.R.P. is noise. Tyson said there will be noise during construction, but it will be quiet once the hotel opens. “Patrons aren’t going to be happy if it’s noisy,” Tyson said.

There is a conceptual drawing that’s being circulated around town that shows a hotel with a roof-top bar. The proposed hotel will not look like the one in the drawing, nor feature a roof-top bar, Tyson said.

Interchange, gas station

H.A.R.P. members are also concerned about the impacts of other rancheria projects, including a proposed highway interchange, RV park and a gas station/convenience market.

Since 2001, the Trinidad Rancheria has been working on various studies to build an interchange connecting its property to adjacent U.S. Highway 101 about a half mile south of the Trinidad exit.

The project would require a full-blown environmental impact report, with a draft scheduled to be created in 2021. If the project is approved and funding is available, construction could begin in 2024.

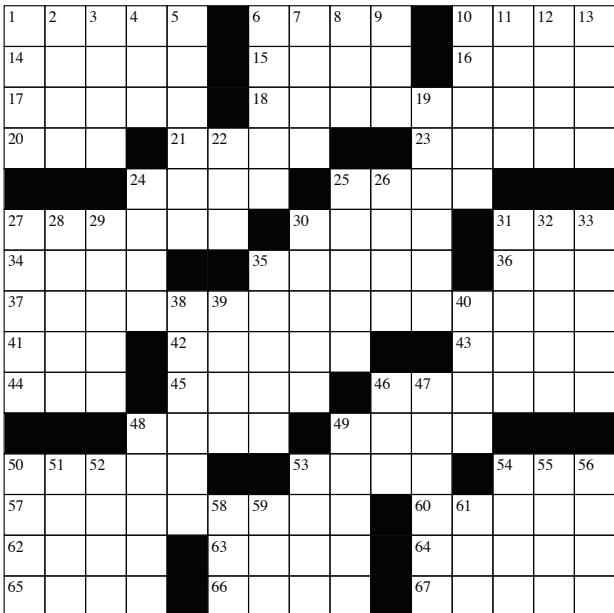
The gas station/convenience market and the RV park are called for in the rancheria’s master plan, but there are no plans to pursue those projects in the near future, Tyson said.

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- 20. Hankering
- 21. Property buyer's concern
- 23. Biblical line
- 24. Rapidly growing item
- 25. Got away
- 27. Potato implement
- 30. Cherished
- 31. UV forerunners
- 34. Jai ___
- 35. Does an usher's job
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- 37. Film set in a jungle
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- 43. Pinnacle
- 44. Cockney abode
- 45. European river
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- 48. Mars' Greek counterpart
- 49. Anthology entries
- 50. Hastily
- 53. "Wanna make ___?"
- 54. Pronoun
- 57. Painful problem
- 60. Claw
- 62. Ending for some girls' names
- 63. Stable staple
- 64. African antelope
- 65. Like horse hooves
- 66. Scottish language
- 67. Violates
- 1. SPCA's advice
- 2. Place for sheep
- 3. Pearl Buck heroine
- 4. Word with olive or motor
- 5. Gallup respondent
- 6. Regally clothed
- 7. ___ Bator, Mongolia
- 8. Polite person's word
- 9. Sound of grief
- 10. Weary
- 11. Kuwaiti leader
- 12. Sri Lanka exports
- 13. ___ Murray
- 19. Opposed
- 22. Suffix for wind or sand
- 24. Genius
- 25. Accomplishments
- 26. Strip of wood
- 27. San __, California
- 28. Warning device
- 29. "Beetle Bailey" figure
- 30. Postpone
- 31. 100 paisas
- 32. Pierce
- 33. Puts a burden on
- 35. Painful spots
- 38. Oak droppings
- 39. Like a streaker
- 40. Homes for some: abbr.
- 46. Fruity concoction
- 47. Bee, for one
- 48. Was achy and feverish
- 49. Fat
- 50. Grows gray
- 51. College major
- 52. Singer's range
- 53. Picnic spoilers
- 54. Insult
- 55. Sharpen
- 56. Football players
- 58. Gout spot
- 59. One of a pair
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Many resources come together for Arcata's emergency preparedness

Judie Snyder
ARCATA CERT

ARCATA – The Arcata Community Response Team (CERT), which is sponsored by the Arcata Police Department, was formed in 2014 and, until last year, met regularly in the APD's conference room.

Because its numbers have greatly increased since then, it has moved to the Arcata Library Conference Room, where it meets on the second Thursday of every month. Meetings are open to both local and nearby CERT-trained volunteers.

Arcata CERT is composed of both regular team members (CERT-trained Arcata residents, business people, and students) and affiliates (guests who are CERT grads living in nearby areas and who will join a local CERT team once one has been formed in



their own neighborhood).

Arcata CERT currently has projects underway on several fronts, among which are neighborhood preparedness (five Arcata neighborhoods), community outreach and education, local post-disaster resources (including identifying and working with businesses and services that will be critically needed after, for example, a major earthquake or windstorm), and compiling a list of possible alternate sources of up-to-the-minute local emergency information.

In order to be able to work on projects between meetings, the team has been building a collabora-

tive website, which is expected to be rolled into service within the next few months.

Currently, the plan is to also offer a public section within the website where, to start, Arcatans and others can find region-specific information regarding preparedness.

As time and volunteer hours permit, the team hopes to add information and links for other stages of emergency management for local conditions.

Besides providing members the opportunity to work together to move projects along, Arcata CERT meeting activities also include reviews of basic response

skills, such as triage, disaster medical operations, fire safety, light search and rescue, and emergency team organization, all of which need to be kept up to date so that CERT volunteers will be ready to help their own neighborhoods after a major event until professional first responders are able to arrive on scene.

Arcata CERT members are also active members of related groups, such as the American Red Cross, Humboldt Amateur Radio Club, and the Redwood Coast Tsunami Work Group.

In addition, they bring a great variety of professional expertise to the team: many current mem-

bers are active or retired nurses, EMTs, crisis counselors, preparedness presenters, Red Cross instructors, teachers, ham radio operators, information technology professionals, and administrators.

To be added to the notification list for upcoming basic CERT training, a free 23-hour course that is offered twice a year in the greater Humboldt Bay area, email your name and phone number, with the email header CERT INTEREST, to Linda Nellist (Chair and Lead Instructor, Humboldt CERT Coalition), at Linda.Nellist@humboldt.edu.

If you are a local CERT grad and are interested in becoming an Arcata CERT member or affiliate, email Judie Snyder (Arcata CERT lead) at snyderji@suddenlink.net.



ROTARY REPEATER The Rotary Club of Arcata Sunrise recently donated \$1,000 toward the purchase of a radio repeater for Fieldbrook Volunteer Fire Dept. Above, Rotary President Ray Noggle and Fire Chief Jack Sheppard. For more information about Rotary and how you can be a part of it, visit arcatasunrise.org.

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Volcanic vituperation befouls the burg

• **Wednesday, August 15 9:06 p.m.** Yelled obscenities were punctuated with door slams for emphasis on war-torn lower E Street.

9:15 p.m. Volleys of vituperation issued from a pink-shirted man whose pulpit was the center of Janes Road.

11:30 p.m. A McCallum Circle resident complained of the neighbor's continual display of his middle finger, a tiresome phenomenon going back months.

2:07 p.m. A man aggressively volunteering his services as a passerby-murderer was even more of a bargain than those available in the store behind him, the one that trades in pictures of George Washington.

2:31 p.m. Random passersby – those bastards – continued to incite roaming thugs by the fact of their simple existence. A man carrying a blue sleeping bag addressed the infractions with an assortment of top-volume oaths and curses.

4:11 p.m. It's not like her to not show up for work or call

for five days, said an employer of an employee who still had a company phone and car. Police checked the woman's home address and found it vacant.

• **Thursday, August 16 11:38 a.m.** A woman with a baby was said to be camping near the switchback leading down to the Community Park, and leaving dirty diapers all about the area.

8:26 p.m. An E Street man spent his day screaming and striking a wall with a stick, inadvertently acting as an apt metaphor for the rest of humanity's exertions that day.

• **Friday, August 17 9:44 p.m.** A dark-haired male set up a car camp on 12th Street east of Bayview Street, and settled in for a multi-night stay. But the setup went awry when he succumbed to the inexplicable compulsion to befoulment that overcomes so many vehicle campers and started throwing his trash into neighbors' yards and a-peeing in the street.

• **Saturday, August 18 1:26 p.m.** Though he wore no shirt, the man striding

through a 16th Street church parking lot had his tattoos and vigorous stick-waving to warm his torso.

• **Sunday, August 19 3:53 a.m.** A woman roamed Fourth Street, yelling and busting off car side mirrors.

9:54 a.m. An F Street resident reported their car's side mirror broken off sometime during the night.

• **Monday, August 20 7:05 p.m.** After two hours occupying the Community Pool's bathroom, a woman was dislodged and warned of trespassing.

• **Tuesday, August 21 11:43 a.m.** A Union Street woman's acid reflux attack was of ambulance-calling proportions.

12:57 p.m. A man left his wallet with some friends on the Plaza, but on his return, the friendship was clouded with distrust as the wallet no longer contained his driver's license or credit card.

• **Wednesday, August 22 8:50 a.m.** A supposed representative of something dubiously named "Advantage" knocked on doors in the area of Grant Avenue. One woman was asked if

she had any grandchildren.

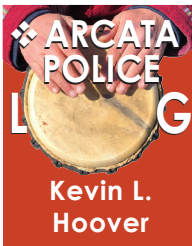
10 a.m. A man guzzled a breakfast beer amid strewn trash on the pedestrian overpass until someone asked that he be cop-inspired to clean up his nearby poo-poo donation.

• **Thursday, August 23 11:36 a.m.** If you asked the man who cut down trees to make an illegal camp in Carlson Park the meaning of "hubristic," would he know what is it and what it leads to? We'll never know, since the self-centered solipsistic slithy tove scampered, leaving the stumps behind.

• **Friday, August 24 12:56 a.m.** A man on Ninth Street was the curious sort, in more ways than one. His inquiries included pulling on all available doors and mailboxes, to see (and maybe take?) what was behind and inside them.

1:11 p.m. Yet another camper – this one a woman on 10th Street – saw fit to slather her surroundings with trash and pee.

• **Sunday, August 26 2:28 p.m.** At a downtown variety store, a man stole a bottle o' booze and a cane, the latter possibly to aid in remaining vertical following guzzlement of the other item. He was arrested.



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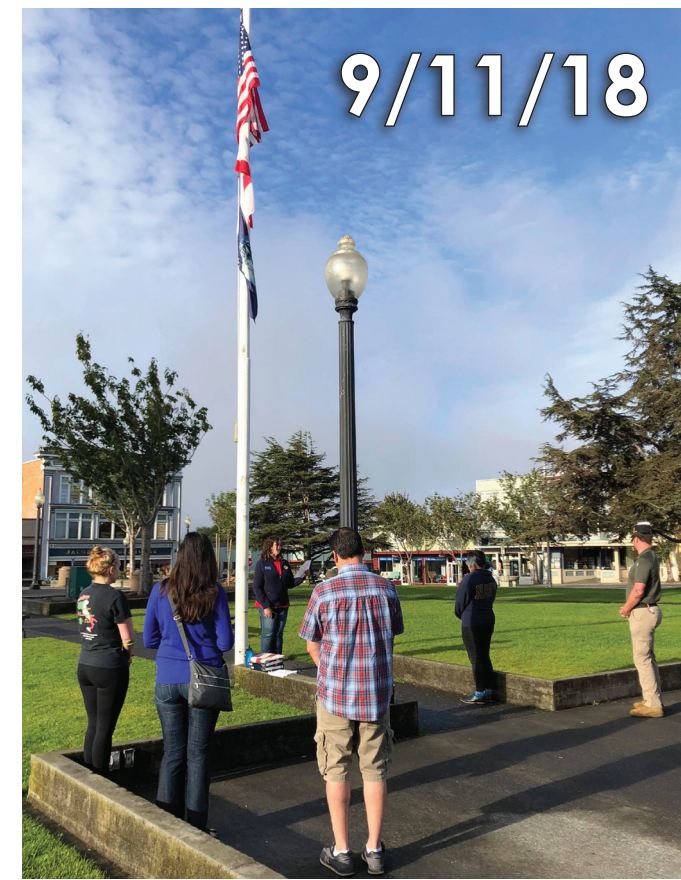


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17 YEARS LATER As part of the 9/11 Patriot Day Ceremony, Arcata veterans and civic leaders remembered those lost on Sept. 11, 2001. American Legion Post 274 Commander Jeff Sterling lowered the Plaza's flags to half staff. Alison Robbins, District 1 president for the American Legion Auxiliary Department of California and member of Arcata's American Legion Auxiliary Unit Post 274 pledged to never forget those lost on 9/11. Robbins also announced that veterans' graves will be cleaned during National Days of Service, beginning in Arcata. The Legion will work with the Arcata Chamber of Commerce to replace flags at local businesses. KLH | UNION

This land is our land – *all* of ours – and everyone’s voice matters

Yes on Measure M
My name is Lisa (Lytle) Morehouse. Arcata has always been home; it holds my roots. My family moved to Arcata in 1968 and I have lived here 50 years. I grew up poor in a trailer park in town. I bore my children here; my father died here. I have volunteered in my community and have donated countless hours to my fellow citizens regardless of their ethnicity or background.

This is my home; MY heritage. I support keeping the statue of President William McKinley on our Plaza. The ground we stand on is OUR land; it belongs to each of us who have called it home for generations and who pay taxes to fund it. We ALL have a valid voice in our community, in OUR land. We all live together on this land and will for centuries more. As long as people live together and share the same land, there are going to be different perspectives and ideologies that sometimes clash. In our current day clash over a statue, our city council is the arbiter and has changed a 100-plus year old decision to honor a president and has spoken for some 9,000-plus residents; representing the interests of only the loudest, most threatening and oppressive voices.

In so doing, the council feels it is honoring the cultural heritage of a group who have resided on this land for generations, but they are dishonoring another group’s heritage who have also lived on this land for generations... mine and many people like me. Demanding respect for one group, while not reciprocating respect for another will only widen our divide.

Ironically, when I have voiced my support of our historic statue, I have vehemently (or venomously) been called a “racist,” a “white supremacist” and “white privileged.” I have been told I am “insensitive.” In essence, my history, my roots, my culture – the very things they are defending for themselves – don’t matter.

I attended the City Council meeting on March 21 and listened to voices that pointed a verbal finger at anyone in support of keeping the statue, deeming them inhumane. I felt intimidated and literally afraid to walk out to my car in the dark. Numerous people at the meeting voiced that they want peace and harmony to exist in our community, as do we all, yet, ironically, that finger being pointed make those of us in support of our statue afraid to speak... oppressed. With this type of intimidation, we will never live in harmony. We will never live in the peaceful and accepting community those voices want. Ironic.

If anything, the statue has created awareness of our history. Awareness is the first step in understanding. Understanding is the next step in making change. Without these steps, change is slow to happen. By removing the statue, people say things will be better. So, when the statue is gone, will those that have called me slanderous names be quieted? Will they miraculously start being kind and act without malice? Racism and prejudice will just go away? Why not leave up the reminders as a lesson and begin teaching people our history at school and through community projects?

I would like to have a say in whether our historic statue stays. Measure M gives me that voice. My heritage and history on this land has been deemed irrelevant according to the council’s vote and these divisive voices who have oppressed many with a differing view into feared silence. I say practice what you preach. I will VOTE YES ON MEASURE M

Lisa Morehouse
Arcata



COURTESY CARMAN GENTILE

Our Plaza gazebo awaits
My vision for the Arcata Plaza is to go “forward to the past” and have a gazebo (or bandstand) like it originally had near the start of the 20th century. The gazebo could provide a venue for the bands which perform at special events. The musicians would be sheltered from the sun or the drizzle during the Farmers’ Market, the Oyster Festival, the North Country Fair and the Fourth of July. Imagine hearing a brass band in the gazebo perform the stirring marches of John Philip Sousa on Independence Day.

The gazebo would also provide a focal point for various groups to hold free speech assemblies like the Veterans for Peace Friday night peace vigils, community memorial services and celebrations, and we can’t forget the famous Women in Black statement of silence.

I understand that my vision is a very expensive proposition. The removal of the pedestal and statue of President William McKinley for sale or donation will be a protracted process. The circular foundation will need to be modified to comply with ADA accessibility codes. And the gazebo costs will include both construction and long-term maintenance. Perhaps the costs can be covered by gifts from some wealthy one-percenters, or by a long-term fundraising effort by the citizens, or by some generous donations from the tribal casinos.

It is possible that I may not live long enough to see a Plaza gazebo, but I invite my fellow Arcatans to share the vision.

Carman Gentile
Arcata

Summer as it should be

Summer as it should be! Families playing outdoor games. Little kids rolling down a hill. Senior couples tapping time to the live music. Happy Humboldters dancing. Teens (and some younger and some older!) skateboarding. Picnicking on food from home or hot dogs and pizza from food trucks. Yummy desserts for sale by the Teen Center.

The Thursday evening events at Pierson Park in McKinleyville were wonderful!. Maybe we don’t enjoy the summer weather of the surfer songs, but my family and friends had a great time.

Thanks to the McKinleyville Chamber of Commerce and the MCSD Parks & Recreation Department for making it happen. Thanks to Charlie Caldwell for making the safe skateboarding happen each time. I appreciate that our McKinleyville businesses sponsored successive weeks and hope you great folks will do it again next summer. Thanks to: Coast Central Credit Union, Essential Elements, Grocery Outlet – McK, Humboldt Skate Park Collective, Lube Central, McK ACE Home and Garden Center, Muddy Paws, Redwood Capital Bank, Specialty Foreign Auto, State Farm - Heather Vina, The Club for Fitness and Wright Property Management.

Patricia Thomas
McKinleyville



Our Plaza history beckons

The attached postcard was shared at a recent gathering of family and friends. It was part of the Historical Arcata PostCard Series Produced by the Arcata Downtown Business Community.

This card was number 14 in the series. On the back it states, “President McKinley’s statue was commissioned by George Zehndner. Haig Patigan, a sculptor working in San Francisco, completed the statue in April 1906. The statue survived the 1906 San Francisco Earthquake and was placed on its pedestal in May of 1906.”

We felt it was appropriate to share this postcard at this time in Arcata’s history and to convey that we feel that the statue should continue to stay in Arcata at its current location.

The statue is a part of Arcata’s history and should be preserved as such. Regardless of President McKinley’s political beliefs and actions, it is important that we know and understand them so that they can be avoided in the future.

This belief is supported by the quote most likely attributed to writer and philosopher George Sanatyana and in its original form read, “Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it.”

David Lonn, McKinleyville
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Larry Ford, Arcata
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Main Street thanks

On Saturday, Aug. 18, Arcata Main Street held our 4th Annual Explore Arcata/ Pizza Feed.

We brought almost 300 residence hall students to the Plaza for a tour of the downtown. We followed this event with concert of music on the Plaza from 3 to 8 p.m.

Participating businesses offered specials and discounts. We couldn’t have done it without everyone’s help.

We especially want to thank the Director and staff of the HSU Residence Living, the Hotel Arcata for donating their Banquet Room, The Jam for help with the pizzas, The HSU Women’s Softball team who helped with serving and clean-up and all the businesses that participated with specials.

It was a great success and we look forward to next year.

Jeanette Todd, executive director
Arcata Main Street

❖ LETTERS

Yes on Measure K

Measure K is on the ballot for this November’s election. It is a county-wide referendum that extends and solidifies the language of California state law SB-54. It’s a very low cost policy that ends up saving the county money at the end of the day and the only upfront cost is for printing the new policy and adding it to the county’s official record.

We will save money by preventing Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) from using Humboldt County’s staff time, resources and funds for completing a raid. This relationship has caused some counties hundreds of thousands of dollars and while it is a voluntary agreement, the request for funds is rarely refused. This new referendum does not prevent Humboldt County staff members from going home and supporting ICE’s work on their own time. In a county with limited resources we need to budget and plan well. A high, unexpected cost can do serious damage to our institutions’ well-being. No county subsidization for federal policy enforcement!

Measure K also prevents police officers from using fingerprint technology to ID people at traffic stops. It’s claimed that this will help to catch people working here unlawfully. This new technology is not cheap and Humboldt County pays the bill, not the feds. But once they start installing this technology in police vehicles, who knows where it will stop? Prevention is the best medicine for avoiding a police state!

Vote “Yes” on K!

Ben Amundson
Miranda

Vote for affordable housing

I think most of us who live in the state of California are very tired of sky-high rents. Thanks to the work of many dedicated volunteer activists, Proposition 10 will appear on your November 6 state ballot.

Proposition 10 is called the Affordable Housing Act. It is extremely important that you vote for it if you rent an apartment, townhouse, condominium or house in this state.

This allows local governments to adopt rent control ordinances. There will be regulations that govern how much landlords can charge tenants for rental housing.

Rents in our great state of California have been skyrocketing out of control for decades. In my opinion, they are not affordable for the majority of people who live here. All residents who rent are affected. Singles, married with children, single parents, veterans, disabled and seniors are all trying to keep a roof over their heads while paying exorbitant rents.

Housing is a basic need and should be one of our rights as Americans.

Wages and social security checks never go up as high or as fast as rents do.

If you are a renter living in California, make sure you get out and vote November 6 for the Affordable Housing Act!

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Valorie McIntosh
Arcata



How was the summer tourist season for you?

Asked of Arcata Chamber of Commerce members.
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Richard Stenger
Eureka-Humboldt
Visitors Bureau

The first thing that comes to mind is Lowell Daniels from the Victorian Inn in Ferndale, who said that his phone started ringing off the hook right after the Lonely Planet story was published. On a related note, more than 20,000 signed up for a free trip contest to Humboldt, sponsored by Lonely Planet and the Eureka-Humboldt Visitors Bureau. The lucky winners should be here soon.



Jake Drake
Happy Camper
Redwood Tours

There was definitely a “redwoods” fervor – it manifested itself in various ways. The majority of my business came from weddings, celebrations, Godwit Days and other local events, donations and visiting royalty interested only in seeing big trees. I drove birders from the cruise ship though I think the majority of shore excursions went redwood.



Gregg Foster
RRDEC/Fly Humboldt

LAX service has been very full, over 95 percent full for July and August. That’s a good sign. Last August 10,000 people went through our airport on United and this August that number went up over 16,000. About 45 percent of the passengers who come through our airport are historically people who don’t live here. In short, if the airport being busy is an indication of tourism, it was a good summer.



Joanna Di Tommaso
Redwood Parks
Conservancy

Our visitor center stores have seen a steady increase in traffic ever since the National Park Service centennial in 2016. But this year was incredibly busy, in part because of the exposure from Lonely Planet. Visitor centers were packed with people eager to see our redwood parks, and that increase has brought our sales up six percent above last year.



Mike Reinman
North Coast
Vacation Rentals

This was a very strong summer for our 140 vacation rentals throughout the county. We believe that there was an increase in demand from both the Lonely Planet attention and the direct flights between LAX & Arcata. We saw an increase in tourists from Europe. The strong national and regional economy also played a significant part. We were, however, affected by the area fires.



Alanna Powell
Eureka Visitors Center

This is our first year so we have no baseline established, but we’ve had 17,000 tourists walk through our doors since the first of the year which exceeds our projections. Our staff hand tracks each visitor and notes details like average age, gender, solo/group, place of origin, etc – that’s valuable information. All in all, I’d say Eureka has had a successful tourist season this year.



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had the largest environmental engineering program in the world when he was a student there – as sources of knowledge.

The Redwood Coast Energy Authority is “leading the charge on renewables” and Humboldt is “on track” to be a renewable energy exporter.

“So we have not just the brainpower to effect change in this marketplace but we have the resources to do that,” Wilson continued, saying the county also has the “forest capacity” to sequester carbon.

Supervisor Rex Bohn suggested adding language to the resolution stipulating that all renewable energy be locally-sourced and created in the county.

That change was approved, along with Bohn’s request to state that biomass-derived energy will be included as a source of renewable energy.

The resolution’s call for creation of a Climate Action



Mike Wilson

Plan by 2020 mirrors voluntary directives in Humboldt’s recently-approved General Plan. Planning Director John Ford said two plans – one for municipal governments and agencies and another for “the county as a whole” – are called for in the General Plan.

Inter-jurisdictional planning “will be explored,” he continued. There are multiple prongs of climate change action in the county already. The cities of Arcata and Eureka have adopted resolutions calling for 100 percent renewable energy by 2025 and the McKinleyville Community Services District has adopted a similar resolution.

An intern working on climate change action has been hired by the county through CivicSpark, an Americorps program that responds to “community resilience issues.” Ford said the county’s share of sponsoring the intern is \$25,000 and he anticipates the costs related to climate change-related planning won’t go beyond an additional \$25,000.

During a public comment session, several residents of Arcata supported the resolution and described action on climate change as being essential to the welfare of future generations.

Stephanie Tidwell of Friends of the Eel River said the county’s action responds to local effects. The Humboldt Bay area is spared from the effects of wildfires, she continued, but its “unique geology” opens the potential to make sea level rise more intense than anywhere else in the world.

Tidwell added that although some “pretty ambitious” goals have been set on the state level, “Locally, we can do better.”

“Today’s resolution matters,” said Amber Shelton of the Environmental Protection Information Center, adding that it builds on the General Plan’s content.

Colin Fiske of the 350 Humboldt clean energy advocacy group and the Coalition for Responsible Transportation Priorities emphasized the need for setting emission reduction goals and “holding yourselves accountable to them.”

He also noted that “transportation is our largest source of greenhouse gases locally.”

Vehicle emissions are likely to rise, as the General Plan designates an increase in vehicle miles travelled as a significant and unavoidable impact.

California has two laws that call for greenhouse gas emissions reduction – AB 32 and the just-signed SB 100, which calls for achieving 100 percent emission-free electricity by 2045.

The trend is evident in Humboldt County, with onshore and offshore wind energy projects in the process of being advanced.

In addition to specifying that renewable energy should be locally-produced, the resolution was also modified to include mention of Humboldt joining the County Climate Coalition, a newly-emerging coalition of counties seeking action on climate change response.

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Dance Party with Latin Peppers

ARCATA PLAYHOUSE
 ARCATA –Humboldt’s own spicy Latin Peppers will play the Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St., on Saturday, Sept. 22 with plenty of room to dance. The evening is a benefit for the Playhouse programs and will feature drinks and light food fare. Bring your dancing shoes and shake off the dust while supporting a great community organization.

Called the “best Latin band north of the Bay Area,” the Latin Peppers always bring irresistible, high energy salsa and Latin dance music with an Afro-Cuban feel. The members have many years performing experience throughout the North Coast, led by Jimmy Durchslag on trombone, who also does the arrangements.

Durchslag has appeared with numerous Latin bands including local favorites Ponche and Kachimbo. He teaches the Latin ensemble at the annual Lark Music Camp in Mendocino.

Orlando Morales plays timbales, congas and percussion. He has been a stalwart of the Latin scene in the SF Bay Area for many years. The group also includes Tim Randles of Ponche and RLA on piano, Andy Barnett, leader of the Garberville Town Band, on trumpet, Lee Phillips on bass, Jon



LATIN PEPPERS will bring the dance floor alive Saturday night at the Arcata Playhouse. .
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Lewis on congas and Arnold Morales on bongo.

The Latin Peppers repertoire ranges from John Coltrane to Tito Puente, Eddie Palmieri, Buena Vista Social Club and Mongo Santamaria, all with compelling rhythms that showcase tight ensemble playing and soulful

improvisation. Music starts at 8 p.m. with doors at 7:30 p.m. There will be an open dance floor and limited seating. Tickets are \$15 general and \$13 for students and Playhouse members and are available at Wildberries Marketplace, brownpapertickets.com or reserve at (707) 822-1575.

Evie Ladin brings here trio to Arcata

ARCATA PLAYHOUSE
CREAMERY DISTRICT – Tena-cious, innovative string musicians with a pulsing neo-trad heart, the Evie Ladin Band (ELB) – Evie Ladin, Keith Terry and Erik Pearson – throws down soulful folk songs with a four-dimensional live show on Friday, Sept. 21 at the Arcata Playhouse., 1251 Ninth St. in Arcata.

Grounded in Appalachian old-time repertoire, seasoned in African-diaspora roots, writing from life in modern cities, blurring the lines between music and dance, is how audiences

describe the ELB’s captivating concerts.

The 2012 eponymous release Evie Ladin Band won Americana Album of the Year from the Independent Music Awards and their 2016 release *Jump For Fire* reveals the tight trio the band has become – after many miles, and a host of new songs, a truly original sound in new old-time Americana – taking home the silver from 2017 Clifftop’s illustrious Neo-Trad String-band contest..

Evie’s mastery of the clawhammer banjo is an absolute wonder, and the

soulful, salty tanginess of her voice grips the listener and refuses to let go as it narrates some wild musical tales. She has been called “A saucy chanteuse whose seductive prowess [is]... nothing less than a homespun hoot.” by *No Depression*. Music starts at 8 p.m. with doors at 7:30 p.m. The show is presented in association with the Humboldt Folklife Society with tickets \$18 general and \$15 for Playhouse and Humboldt Folklife members. Tickets available at Wildberries Marketplace, brownpapertickets.com or reserve at (707) 822-1575.

Young Frankenstein kicks off Ferndale Rep’s monster 2018-19 season

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FERNDALE – What happens when a prestigious New York medical professional inherits the family estate in Transylvania? Plenty, when the lucky recipient’s name is Frederick Frankenstein (or Fronkensteen, as he prefers, for obvious reasons, to be known).

The story of *Young Frankenstein* kicks off at the Fernale Rep, 447 Main St. in Ferndale, with a special preview performance on Thursday, Sept. 27 at 8 p.m. with all seats at the reduced price of \$10.

Young Frankenstein runs weekends from Sept. 28 to Oct. 28 on Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m.

When Frederick arrives at his



WALK THIS WAY Denise I. Ryles as Igor.
PHOTO BY ALEXANDRA BLOUIN

grandfather’s castle, he discovers he’s not the only grandson on the scene – the hunchbacked Igor, grandson of his grandfather’s sidekick, is also in residence, along with a nubile young lab as-

sistant by the name of Inga, and creepy ancient housekeeper Frau Blucher.

The scientist in Frederick cannot resist the temptation to recreate his grandfather’s experiments from his notebooks – with predictably unpredictable results that impress neither the villagers nor Frederick’s fiancée, Elizabeth.

The original production, based on the 1974 Mel Brooks-Gene Wilder film, ran on Broadway from 2007 to 2009. It was nominated for three Tony awards and

a Grammy award for Best Musical Show Album, and won the Outer Critics Circle Award for Best Musical. The Ferndale production is directed by Ferndale Rep’s own artistic producing director Leira V. Satlof, who says “the timing is perfect for a dancing monster musical – Hallowe’en is right around the corner, and the audience is invited to guess which side Igor’s hump will appear on any given night – so come on down to Ferndale for some monstrous fun!”

The stellar cast is drawn from the ranks of Humboldt’s finest musical comedy talent:

Rigel Alexander Schmitt (Frederick) has strutted his stuff most recently in *Kiss Me Kate*, *Reefer Madness*, *The Producers*, *Victor/*

Victoria, *Pippin*, *Too Many Sopranos*, and *Little Women*.

Greta Turney (Frau Blucher) is often found behind the scenes as properties master, but has also impressed with stage performances in *Fiddler on the Roof*, *Last Gas*, and *Jesus Christ Superstar*.

Jaison Chand (Monster) has wielded his imposing physical presence as Lurch in *The Addams Family the Musical*, the Beast in *Beauty and the Beast*, and as actual humans in *The Music Man* and *Evita*.

Emma Johnstone (Frederick’s fiancée Elizabeth) is making her debut at Ferndale Rep, following successful performances in Main Stage West’s *Mary Poppins* and

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SCHOOL DONATIONS April Sousa, right, president of the Wha-Nika Women's Club and DeAnn Waldvogel, superintendent of Blue Lake Union Elementary School District in front of items recently donated by the Wha-Nika Women's Club to the school. PHOTO BY ADELENE JONES



NEW DOW'S PRAIRIE PLAYGROUND Last Wednesday, Dow's Prairie students in McKinleyville were able to use their new play structure for the first time. The school thanks the McKinleyville Parent Teacher Organization for its monetary donation along with labor to spread the wood chips. The school also thanks the district maintenance department for working so hard to make the opening possible. The play structure is designed to meet the developing needs of Dow's Prairie's kindergarten through second grade students. SUBMITTED BY DOW'S PRAIRIE SCHOOL

PEACE PARADE AND RIBBON CUTTING IN MANILA The salty outpost of Manila will celebrate the United Nations International Day of Peace and cut a ribbon on its new playground on Friday, Sept. 21 at the Manila Community Center, 1611 Peninsula Dr. in Manila. The festivities begin at 9 a.m. Redwood Coast Montessori students will hold a parade, and then there will be a ribbon cutting for the new playground.

TRAIL WORK DAY The City of Arcata's Environmental Services Department and the Humboldt Trails Council's Volunteer Trail Stewards are seeking volunteers to help assist in maintaining trails in the Arcata Community Forest on Saturday, Sept. 22 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Volunteers are instructed to meet at 9 a.m. at the Community Forest parking lot on Fickle Hill Road, located near the entrance of Trail Number 9. From there, volunteers will walk or carpool to the south end of Trail Number 4. Work will include watering ferns, cleaning trail bridges and stairs and armoring (rocking) trails. Volunteers are encouraged to wear a long-sleeved shirt, work pants and boots and to bring water. Gloves, tools, lunch and beverages will be provided. For more information, call (707) 822-8184 or email eservices@cityofarcata.org.



ECO BRIEFS

SLOW MARSH TOUR On Tuesday, Sept. 25 at 2 p.m., Friends of the Arcata Marsh (FOAM) is sponsoring a free tour for those who love the marsh and want to enjoy seeing it at a slower pace than regular Saturday tours. The tour will last 90 minutes across even, level ground and is suitable to attendees of all ages who want to learn and like camaraderie. Meet leader Jane Wilson at the first parking lot on South I Street in from Samoa Boulevard. This tour is held the last Tuesday of each month, come rain, shine, or wind. For more information, call (707) 826-2359.

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MCKINLEYVILLE COMMUNITY CHOIR Current choir members have received their music in preparation for the resumption of Monday evening practices, which began on Sept. 3. Any interested members of our local communities who would like to explore the possibility of joining in for a delightful ride are welcome. That's not to say that homework is not required. Practice CDs are provided for the various voice parts, and a dedication to learning the music, following directions, and regular attendance are all part of what creates the wonderful camaraderie that develops among a group of people who love making music together. Practices take place at Grace Good Shepherd Church, 1450 Hiller Rd., McKinleyville, starting at 6:30 p.m. There is a \$50 registration fee; scholarships are available. To find out more about that, call choir director, Robert Keiber, at (707) 822-7575.



Neighborhood evacuated due to suspicious fire

Another fire on Scenic Drive broke out last Thursday night near Baker Ranch. The closest home to the conflagration was saved but a wide swath of the bluff was burned. Residents nearby were ordered to evacuate but were able to return to their homes in the middle of the night.



TRINIDAD TIDINGS
Patti Fleschner

A neighbor said "the fire crew and sheriff were awesome but they're still doing clean-up." Like the Sept. 5 Scenic Drive fires, the cause is suspicious. Anyone with information, please notify Cal Fire at (707) 677-3638.

WCSD changes
Richard Swisher has served as general manager of the Westhaven Community Services District since the district's formation in 1987. It formerly was called the Westhaven Mutual Water Company.

In the words of new Manager Paul Rosenblatt, Richard "is a beloved fixture of the Westhaven community and has led the district into the 21st century. Most recently he secured grant funding for a water main project that replaced over a mile of aging and leaky pipe and a new 90,000-gallon water tank. The district is proud of Richard's success and service to the community."

Paul Rosenblatt worked for the City of Trinidad Public Works as a water treatment operator for five and one half years and has lived in Westhaven since 1989. He also served at the Westhaven Volunteer Fire Department for twelve years and was chief for eight years.

Tastin' Trinidad at Saunders Park

The Greater Chamber of Commerce presents Tastin' Trinidad at Saunders Park on Janis Court at Pat-

rick's Point Drive on Thursday, Sept. 20 from 5 to 7 p.m. A wide variety of local restaurants, caterers, brewers and wine makers will have delectable samples to share. Chamber members and guests welcome. Tickets on sale at the venue.

Third Friday Jazz at WCA and more

Saxophonist Francis Vanek will join the RLA Trio for an evening of first rate music on Sept. 21 at 7 p.m., 501 South Westhaven Dr. There is a \$5 to \$20 sliding scale admission. Refreshments will be available.

Dr. Roy King will lead a nature-based spirituality group called Gai's Love" on Sunday, Sept. 23 from 10 to 11 a.m. at WCA. For more information, call (707) 834-3008 or email roviking2@hotmail.com

West Side Story, which won 10 Oscars in 1961, is the Fourth Friday Flick selection on Sept. 28 at 7 p.m. The 1961 musical features Leonard Bernstein's score and is directed by Jerome Robbins and Robert Wise. Natalie Wood and Richard Beymer play the ill-fated lovers. George Chakiris, Rita Moreno and Russ Tamblyn are dazzling dancers. There is a \$5 to \$10 sliding scale admission. Refreshments will be available.

The beautiful Representational Art League art exhibits remains on view through the month.

Sumeg Village Day Sept. 29
Sumeg Village Day takes place on Saturday, Sept. 29 from noon to 4 p.m. at Patrick's Point State Park.

The event will include an opening Yurok prayer, hot rock cooking demonstration and sample tasting of acorn soup and sun-dried seaweed, Yurok hand made objects and Brush Dance regalia exhibit and Yurok stories and songs.

The event is free of charge. Cherrae Heights Indian Community of the Trinidad Rancheria, Patrick's Point State Park and Potawot Health Farm-

er's Market and the Yurok Tribe sponsor the event. Call Nancy Jo at (707) 677-3110 for information.

Fitzgerald is Rotary's ambassador in Taiwan

Trinidad's Harlyn Ray Fitzgerald, a recent McKinleyville High School graduate and recipient of the Trinidad Civic Club Scholarship, was welcomed to Taiwan recently by a delegation of Rotarians from her host Rotary Club in Dadu and her host family.

She is spending a year in Taiwan as a Youth Exchange Ambassador prior to attending university. Harlyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fitzgerald, and learned some of her cheerful ambassadorial skills while working for her father, Paul, at Larupin' Cafe. Her plan is to enter University at Vancouver, British Columbia, when she returns from Taiwan.

OLLI classes at Trinidad Library

The Trinidad Library Sustaining Fund partners with HSU's OLLI program in presenting five Fall OLLI classes at the library, starting with "Marine Organisms of the North Coast" taught by Sean Craig on successive Sundays from Sept. 23 to Oct. 7.

This class is followed by "A Century of Saving the Redwoods Option 2 (sponsored by Pierson Building Center) led by Jerry and Gisela Rohde on Oct. 15; "Lightening Your Load: How to Let Go of Your Stuff for Good" with Louisa Rogers on Oct. 24; "Lightening Your Life Spiritually and Emotionally" with Marilyn Montgomery on Nov. 7, 14 and 28; and ending with "Trinidad Soldiers in World War 1" on Nov. 9, which includes an after class visit to the Trinidad Veterans in World War 1 exhibit at Trinidad Museum. Tuition for the classes varies. Call (707) 826-5880 or register a thumboldt.edu/olli.

Email Patti at baycity@sonic.net.

MHS teacher in WWI program

NATIONAL HISTORY DAY

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Tiffany Bullman, a teacher at McKinleyville High School, is one of 114 teachers selected for a National History Day program titled *Legacies of World War I*. The program is a partnership between the U.S. World War I Centennial Commission and National History Day.

Bullman will participate in webinars and discussions while learning about World War I with teachers from around the world. As one of the selected teachers, Bullman receives free tuition, graduate credits, and materials for the online program.

Each of the 57 National History Day affiliates could choose two teachers for this honor and the National History Day program in California selected Bullman.

"As part of the commemoration of the centennial of The Great War, National History Day is proud to partner with the U.S. World War I Centennial Commission to help teachers delve into the history of this global event," said National History Day Executive Director Dr. Cathy Gorn. "Bullman will learn about specific aspects of the war she can take back to the classroom to ensure this piece of global history is not forgotten." This program is part of an educational partnership with the WWI Commission, the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, National History Day, and the National World War I Museum and Memorial.

NORTH COAST OTTERS On Friday, Sept. 21, Humboldt State wildlife professor Jeff Black will speak on "North Coast Otters: Merging Citizen Art & Science." This free public lecture, starting at 7:30 p.m. at the Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center, is sponsored by Friends of the Arcata Marsh. North Coast Otters will be a collection of unique pieces of offer art, which will be displayed at local businesses, festivals, galleries, schools, and other public areas. Jeff will enlighten attendees about this intersection of art, nature and science. Besides otters, Dr. Black's research interests include Humboldt Bay waterfowl, Steller's Jays and raptors. The HSU River Otter Citizen Science Project has been collecting sightings of river otters from watercourses in Humboldt, Del Norte, and adjacent counties since 1999. To guarantee a seat, call (707) 826-2359.



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See crossword on page A3

Plant Sale Saturday Sept. 22, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the CNPS nursery, located at Freshwater Farms Reserve, 5851 Myrtle Ave., Eureka (near Three Corners Grocery). There is a members-only pre-sale from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. Gardeners will find a wide selection of native plants suitable for any garden. Examples include columbine, California fuchsia, and penstemon for hummingbirds; salvia,

yarrow and buckwheat for butterflies; strawberries for ground cover; grasses for interest year-round; and shade plants for flowers and foliage cover. Remember, on the North Coast, fall is the time to plant Experienced gardeners will be on hand to answer questions and help you make the best selections. Please bring boxes to help transport your plants home. northcoastcnps.org

CELEBRATION OF LIFE

Come celebrate the life of Sister Saturnalia

Join your Eureka Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence at noon on Saturday, Sept. 23 at the Bay-side Community Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Rd. in Bayside to celebrate the life of our beloved Sister Saturnalia – known to many by her secular name of John Hudson.

Come and share an afternoon of music, memory and deepest love for our friend and dedicated Sister. There will be multiple altars set up for you to leave offerings, photos, or other momentos you have for one of the most steadfast pillars of our com-munity.

All are welcome to this potluck gathering. Sister Saturnalia was known for her legendary potlucks, usually held at her Myrtletown home on occasions such as the Trucker's Parade or a warm summer day, and there is no better way to honor her than holding a feast.

Arrive within the first hour, as the Eureka Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence will be sharing a carefully crafted medley of songs, poems and ceremony.

All those who bring food to share will be asked to provide a list of in-gredients.

Please come prepared with an in-gredient list to place in front of your dish(es) for those who have dietary restrictions.

Sister Saturnalia was famous for her “magical” gingersnaps – but we don’t want another Guard 22 running around so labels are important!

We will have cards and pens avail-able for anyone not prepared with a list of ingredients.

Any monetary donations are to be made out to Eureka Sisters, Inc.

COLLEGE & CAREER EXPO North Coast Cal-SOAP (Student Opportunity and Access Program) of the Humboldt Coun-ty Office of Education is pleased to announce an exciting and important local educational event for all high school stu-dents and parents. The 35th Annual North Coast College & Career Expo is Thursday, Sept. 20 at Eureka High School (EHS) beginning at 5:30 p.m. in the EHS Auditorium at 1915 J St., Eureka. The College & Career Expo is designed for 9th-12th grade students and parents who want to learn more about preparing for and applying to colleges, universities, and trade schools and how to pay for higher education. Last year, over 1,300 families attended this event. More than 50 public and private college, university and trade school recruiters will be in-person to provide information and to answer specific questions regarding admission requirements, tuition, housing, academic options, and campus life. The College and Career Expo is a fast-paced, jam-packed event. Visit www.decadeofdifference.org for a complete list of confirmed reps, workshops and times, and information on how to prepare for the event in order to get the most out of it. Contact Cindy Porter, Cal-SOAP Program Director at (707) 441-3973 or at cporter@hcoe.org for more information.

Ferndale | Talented team

❖ FROM B1

King Lear at NCRT.

Johanna Lena Turney (Inga) is a Ferndale Rep regular, having performed in *Spamalot*, *Legally Blonde*, *Bat Boy*, and *Fid-dler on the Roof*, and also moonlights as a lighting designer for the Arkley Center.

Denise L Ryles (Igor) is a theatrical all-round-er who has appeared in a number of Humboldt stage productions, as well as in film and television. She's also directed and handled makeup and wardrobe.

David Belton Powell (Kemp) is Humboldt's fa-vorite operatic son, who was most recently to be found performing arias on the hoof in Opera Alley for Eureka's 2018 Street Art Festival.

The cast also includes Carin Billings (Ziggy), Carl McGahan (Victor Fran-kenstein), Veronica Ruse (Hermit), and ensemble members Carleigh Arnold, George Intowok, Jamie Boone, Jesse Dodd, Lind-sey Beauchaine, Perrin Turney, and Sarah Tray-

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Creative support is pro-vided by Cindy Shepard (sets and costumes), Mi-chael Foster (lights), Jon Turney (sound), Elaine Al-thouse (musical direction), Cleo DeOrio (choreogra-phy), and Matilda Lind-ström (production man-agement).

Tickets are \$18 general admission, \$16 students (15-college), \$16 seniors (60+).

Purchase tickets online at ferndalerep.org, or call (707) 786-5483.



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I - \$44,563 - \$55,521/yr.
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Filing Deadline: 4:00 p.m., September 28, 2018. Our new Building Inspector will perform technical inspection activities along with the processing, issuing, reviewing and monitoring of building and regulatory permits. At time of hire applicants must possess a Residential Building Inspector Certificate issued by the International Code Council (ICC). EOE. Application packet available at: www.cityofarcata.org or City Manager's Office, 736 F Street, Arcata; (707) 822-5953.

LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
GRETCHEN RIEGEL
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
CASE NO. CV180726
TO ALL INTERESTED PER-SONS:

1. Petitioner has filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name: THORQUIL LEOD MCCORQUODALE to Proposed name: THOR LLOYD RIEGEL

Present name: AILSA GOLDE-LYN MACCORQUODALE to Proposed name: AILSA GOLDELYN RIEGEL

Present name: JOHAN NOR-BERT MACCORQUODALE to Proposed name:HANS NOR-BERT RIEGEL

2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court, located at 825 5th Street, Eureka, California, at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the application should not be granted. Any person ob-jecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: OCT. 19, 2018
Time: 1:45 p.m.
Dept.: 4

3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four suc-cessive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River Union.

Date: AUG 22, 2018

JOHN T FEENEY
Judge of the Superior Court
9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00552

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: **DRAFT DESK**
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COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
DRAFT DESK LLC

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THIS BUSINESS IS CON-DUCTED BY:
A LIMITED LIABILITY COM-PANY
S/KELSEY PARKER
CEO

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on SEPT. 5, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
KT DEPUTY CLERK
9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00567

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: **MEND**
4551 STREET # 205
ARCATA, CA 95521
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
SARAH M. BOYD
4551 STREET # 205
ARCATA, CA 95521

THIS BUSINESS IS CON-DUCTED BY:
AN INDIVIDUAL
S/SARAH BOYD
OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on SEPT. 14, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
SC DEPUTY CLERK
9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 1010

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
18-00561

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as: **SMALL TOWN**
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COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
CALEB S. LEA
2764 STRATING CT.
MCKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519

THIS BUSINESS IS CON-DUCTED BY:
A MARRIED COUPLE
S/CALEB LEA
OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on SEPT. 10, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
KT DEPUTY CLERK
9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 1010

ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
R-1200739
ORIGINAL FILING IN HUMBOLDT COUNTY ON DEC. 21, 2012

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THIS BUSINESS IS CON-DUCTED BY:
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S/GREGORY ANDERSON
BROKER OWNER

This statement was filed with the Humboldt County Clerk on AUGUST 31, 2018
KELLY E. SANDERS
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9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3

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Date: OCT. 26, 2018
Time: 1:45 p.m.
Dept.: 4

3. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once a week for four suc-cessive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: Mad River Union.

Date: AUG 31, 2018

KELLY L. NEEL
Judge of the Superior Court
9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3

CITATION FOR PUBLICATION
UNDER WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE
SECTION 294
Case Name: Baby Boy As-bury, aka: Jack Asbury
Case No. JV180156

1. To Heather Asbury and Edward Hamline and anyone claiming to be a parent of Baby Boy Asbury, aka: Jack Asbury born on 7/6/2018 at Mad River Hospital, Arcata, CA.

2. A hearing will be held on 12/12/2018 at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 7 located at Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA 95501, Juvenile Division, 2nd floor.

3. At the hearing the court will consider the recommen-dations of the social worker or probation officer.

4. The social worker or pro-bation officer will recommend that your child be freed from your legal custody so that the child may be adopted. If the court follows the recommen-dation, all your parental rights to the child will be terminated.

5. You have the right to be present at the hearing, to pres-ent evidence, and you have the right to be represented by an attorney. If you do not have an attorney and cannot afford to hire one, the court will ap-point an attorney for you.

6. If the court terminates your parental rights, the order may be final.

7. The court will proceed with this hearing whether or not you are present.

ATTORNEY FOR:
CHILD WELFARE SER-VICES
JEFFREY S. BLANCK,
COUNTY COUNSEL #115447
SETH LICHENSTEIN-HILL,
DEPUTY COUNTY COUN-SEL #266108
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
(707) 445-7236
DATE: SEPTEMBER 11,
2018
Clerk, by Kim M. Bartle-son, Deputy

NOTICE OF PETITION TO AD-MINISTER ESTATE OF
LORETTA SLOTA MARSHALL
CASE NO.: PR180217

To all heirs, beneficiaries, credi-tors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both of:

LORETTA S. MARSHALL,
LORETTA MARSHALL

Petition for Probate has been filed by: MATTHEW MARSHALL in the Superior Court of Califor-nia, County of HUMBOLDT.

The Petition for Probate re-quests that: MATTHEW MAR-SHALL be appointed as person-al representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

The petition requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal repre-sentative to take any actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent admin-

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PURSUANT TO CIVIL CODE § 2923.3(a) and (d), THE SUMMARY OF INFORMATION REFERRED TO BELOW IS NOT ATTACHED TO THE RECORDED COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT BUT ONLY TO THE COPIES PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR.

NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED

譯文: 寄件人姓名: 西方進步有限公司
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Trustor: **James Stevens and Margaret Stevens, husband and wife as joint tenants**
Duly Appointed Trustee: **Western Progressive, LLC**
Deed of Trust Recorded **12/29/2006** as Instrument No. **2006-37824-23** in book ---, page--- and of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of **Humboldt** County, California,
Date of Sale: **10/12/2018** at **10:00 AM**

Place of Sale: **AT THE FRONT ENTRANCE TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE 825 5TH STREET, EUREKA, CA 95501**

Estimated amount of unpaid balance, reasonably estimated costs and other charges: **\$ 394,553.36**

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More fully described in said Deed of Trust.

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A.P.N.: **005-042-005-000**

The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above.

The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: **\$ 394,553.36**

Note: Because the Beneficiary reserves the right to bid less than the total debt owed, it is possible that at the time of the sale the opening bid may be less than the total debt.

If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse.

The beneficiary of the Deed of Trust has executed and delivered to the undersigned a written request to commence foreclosure, and the undersigned caused a Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.

NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on this property.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgage, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call **(866)-960-8299** or visit this Internet Web site <http://www.altisource.com/MortgageServices/DefaultManagement/TrusteeServices.aspx> using the file number assigned to this case **2017-01125-CA**. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale.

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Date: August 24, 2018

Trustee Sale Assistant

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For more information phone 707-825-2101.

The 2018 surplus property items include a variety of tools, vehicles, furniture and tires. All items are sold as-is, where is, and the City may reject any and all bids. Items may be viewed between the hours of 1:00-4:00pm, Monday thru Friday, September 24, 2018 thru October 1, 2018, and 9:00 a.m. until 12:00pm on Tuesday, October 2, 2018.

Katie Marsolan, Property & Special Projects Manager
September 14, 2018
9/19

CITY OF ARCATA
ENGINEERING DEPART-MENT
736 "F" STREET
ARCATA, CA
(707) 825-2128
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR
2018 WATER LINE RE-PLACEMENT PROJECT
Engineer's Estimate:
\$500,000.00 - \$600,000.00
The City of Arcata is soliciting bids for WORK consisting of furnishing all labor, materials, equipment, incidentals and performing all work required to install C-900 water mains in various locations within the City. The project includes, but is not limited to: roadway excavation, paving, drainage improvements, replacing water mains and valves, and connecting pipes to the existing system.

A mandatory pre-bid meet-ing is scheduled for Thursday, September 20th, 2018 at 11:00 am. The meeting will begin at Arcata City Hall in the Council Chamber (736 "F" Street, Arcata, CA 95521), and will be followed by a project site walk-through.

Sealed bids will be received until the hour of 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 2nd, 2018, at which time they will be transferred to the City Council Chambers where they will be publicly opened and read aloud by the City Engineer or his designated representative. Said bids will be referred to the Arcata City Council for consid-eration at their next meeting on or after October 17th, 2018. The construction for the project will begin on or after November 7th, 2018.

CONTRACTOR shall pos-sess a Class "A" license at the time this contract is bid or a combination of classes re-quired by the categories and type of work included in this contract.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND PROPOSAL forms for bidding this PROJECT will be available:

- For download from City Website www.cityofarcata.org under "Bid on a Project".
- For purchase at City Man-ager's Office, 736 "F" Street, Arcata, CA 95521. A printing charge of \$55.00 shall not be refundable, plus a shipping and handling fee of \$35.00 for mailing of PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS. Checks payable to the City of Arcata and shall be mailed or delivered in per-son to the Property and Special Projects Manager.
- For viewing at City Man-ager's Office, 736 "F" Street, Arcata, CA 95521 and at the Humboldt Builder's Ex-change, 1213 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501. This CON-TRACT is subject to State contract non-discrimination and compliance requirements pursuant to Government Code, Section 12990.

The City of Arcata hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disad-vantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award.

The above PROJECT is subject to compliance mon-itoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations. No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (awarded on or after April 1, 2015) unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5.

Pursuant to Section 1733 of the Labor Code, the Director of California Department of Industrial Relations has deter-mined the general prevailing rate of wages. Bidders should contact the Department of Industrial Relations at (415) 703-4281 for General Prevail-ing Wage Rates on specific job classifications. Future effective wage rates, which have been predetermined, are on file with the California Department of Industrial Relations. Bidders are advised that if they intend to use a craft or classification not on file in the general wage determinations, they may be re-quired to pay the wage rate of that craft of classification most closely related to it as shown in the general determinations.

The City of Arcata reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Katie Marsolan, Property and Special Projects Manager
September 7, 2018
9/12, 9/19

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Bet your bottom dollar on Annie, Bella

Full in Humboldt County is such a lovely time! Sunny afternoons are a welcome change from the endless fog of August and a great time to get out for a hike in the forest or at the beach.

It's always nice to have a doggy companion for those outings and we have a couple of nice ones here for you to consider. The shelter is continuing their "Clear the Shelter" promotion, with lower than usual adoption fees, at least through the end of this week. Come on by and see these girls and the other available dogs too.

Pretty Pittie mix Annie is on her second pass through the shelter. She was adopted as a pup but somehow ended up back at the shelter where she went up for adoption again. I often say that I try not to start every sentence about these dogs with "I can't believe that someone would..." but really, how



Annie

can people take on the responsibility of an animal and then just abandon them?

Annie is a very nice dog who waits quietly in her kennel for her turn to go out, gets along well with other dogs and loves to play a good game of fetch. She is a little over a year old and has a pretty brindle and white coat. She walks nicely on the leash and sits when asked.

Annie has good dog social skills and would love a playmate to romp with. We are just starting a new round of dog introductions and Annie has liked all the dogs she's met. This affectionate dog would make a great companion for those fall hikes!

Bella is a nice, mature lab mix. She is guesstimated to be around 6 years old. Hard to say what else is in her lineage, but she is more slender than your average lab and she doesn't care much about treats, which also indicates another breed. Volunteers describe her as a low-drama dog, well-behaved and easy to be around.

Bella is well-housebroken and happy to relax on her dog bed when there



Bella

isn't something more exciting going on. She does not appear to be a barker either. Though not in any way a couch potato, Bella would be happy to join you in a warm house for these cooler fall evenings. She is ready to show what a good dog she can be!

Annie and Bella are spayed, micro-chipped, and current on their vaccinations.

They are both available through the Humboldt County Animal Shelter, located at 980 Lycoming Ave. in McKinleyville. The shelter is open Monday through Friday with extended hours on Tuesdays and Thursdays. More information is available at (707) 840-9132.

LEARN ABOUT LEGAL SERVICES OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA The public is invited to hear from attorney Kaly Rule of Legal Services of Northern California, regarding services available from her organization. Rule will speak

at the Humboldt Council of the blind's meeting on Friday, Sept. 21 at 1:30 p.m. at the Humboldt Bay Municipal Water District office conference room, 828 Seventh St. in Eureka.

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